

# To the Edge

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[Intro]

One brings shadow, one brings the light  
Two toned echoes, tumbling through time  
Three score wasted, ten cast aside  
Fourfold knowing, no end in sight[Verse 1]  
I remember, in blackened silence  
Our surrender, a somber reverie  
Slowly drifting down into twilight  
Ever sifting through fading memories  
Now I'm thinking, "Well, was it worth it?"  
As I led them, to fight another war  
I resent this descent to madness  
Come and save us, yet just before we fall

[Refrain]

Riding home - riding home  
Finding hope - don't lose hope[Pre-Chorus 1]  
Like broken angels, wingless, cast from heaven's gates  
(Our slumbering demons awake)  
We won't get far when falling, falling far from grace  
(You'll take off, spread out your wings)  
And like a message in a bottle cast to sea  
(Disgraced, untouched and unseen)  
And to their ends our candles burn, until we're free

[Chorus]

In monochrome melodies, our tales are painted in red  
(Bringing me to the edge)  
Deep inside, we're nothing more than scions and sinners  
In the rain, tonight our time is nigh!  
Yes, time circles endlessly, the hands of fate train ahead  
(Pointing to the edge)  
All things change - drawn to the flame, to rise from the ashes  
To begin, we first must see the end![Interlude]

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Fourfold knowing, no end in sight[Verse 2]  
Lost to vengeance, we cast the first stone  
In our cages, we know not what we do  
Indecision, here at the crossroads

Recognition, tomorrow's come too soon  
All the bloodied, like lambs to slaughter  
At the mercy of those who grab a sword  
As the star went, hid underwater  
We're forgotten, for now and evermore[Refrain]  
Riding home - riding home  
Finding hope - don't lose hope[Pre-Chorus 2]  
Without our compass, wandering, lost in lies of faith  
(They've slowly wasted away)  
Or we can dive in, finding deaths at her embrace  
(At last, we put out our flames)  
On hands and knees we pray to gods we've never seen  
(Come, shadow, come follow me)  
The final hour upon us, no more time to grieve[Chorus]  
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In the rain, tonight our time is nigh! Yes, time circles endlessly, the hands of fate trained ahead  
(Follow me to the edge)  
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